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PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2652**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Noboru YAMANAKA

Group Art Unit: 2652

Application No.: 10/667,487

Examiner: A. CAO

Filed: September 23, 2003

Docket No.: 117260

For: THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD, MAGNETIC HEAD DEVICE AND MAGNETIC
RECORDING/REPRODUCING DEVICE

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the September 30, 2005 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.